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A method for producing an electronic signature in a font format from a manual signature, comprising the steps of: (a) providing a raster image of the manual signature; (b) cleaning the raster image to remove noise, such that the raster image is a cleaned image; (c) locating a plurality of edges of the cleaned image; (d) producing an outline of the cleaned image from the plurality of edges; (e) analyzing the outline to determine a plurality of guidelines for the cleaned image; and (f) hinting the cleaned image from the plurality of guidelines to produce the electronic signature in the font format.

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